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In re Application of:

Markus CHERDRON et al.

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For: DEVELOPMENT ENVIRONMENT  
FOR DEVELOPING  
APPLICATIONS USING A  
METAMODEL

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Sir:

**REPLY TO OFFICE ACTION**

In reply to the Office Action mailed October 10, 2007, the period for response to which extends through January 10, 2008, Applicants respectfully request reconsideration of the above-identified application in view of the following amendments and remarks.

**Amendments to the Specification** are included in this paper.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims in this paper.

**Remarks** follow the amendment sections of this paper.